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# H. R. 774

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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## AN ACT

To amend the Small Business Act to change the conditions of participation and provide an authorization of appropriations for the women's business center program.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Women’s Business  
3 Center Amendments Act of 1999”.

4 **SEC. 2. CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 29(c)(1) of the Small  
6 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 656(c)(1)) is amended—

7           (1) in subparagraph (A) by inserting “and”  
8       after the semicolon at the end; and

9           (2) by striking subparagraphs (B) and (C) and  
10       inserting the following:

11                   “(B) in the third, fourth, and fifth years,  
12           1 non-Federal dollar for each Federal dollar.”.

13       (b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by this  
14 section shall apply beginning October 1, 1998.

15 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

16       Section 29(k)(1) of the Small Business Act (15  
17 U.S.C. 656(k)(1)) is amended by striking “8,000,000”  
18 and inserting “11,000,000”.

      Passed the House of Representatives March 16,  
1999.

Attest:

JEFF TRANDAHL,  
*Clerk.*